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Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W., Room 700 Washington, D.C. 20423

> Re: Granite State Concrete Company, Inc. and Milford-Bennington Railroad Company, Inc. v. Boston and Maine Corporation and Springfield Terminal Railway Company

Docket No. NOR 42083

Dear Secretary Williams:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter please find an original and 10 copies of the signature page for the Reply of the Boston and Maine Corporation and Springfield Terminal Railway Company. A facsimile signature page was filed with the original Reply on February 9, 2004.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact me if you should have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Culliford Corporate Counsel

cc: James E. Howard, Esq.

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III. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, Guilford respectfully requests that the Board find that Guilford was at all times acting reasonably, and that neither Granite State nor MBR is entitled to recover any damages.

Respectfully submitted,

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